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The Honorable Julius Genachowski
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
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Re: MB Docket No. 10-56

Dear Chairman Genachowski,

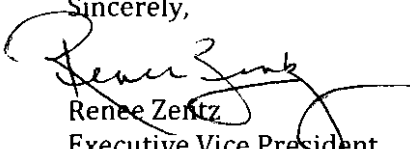
At the Housing and Building Association of Colorado Springs, our 600 members believe that home ownership should be in reach of every American; that each house should be well designed and constructed; and that each home should be built under the free enterprise system. Comcast is a valuable supporter of our organization, and I am writing to ask you to approve its venture with NBC Universal.

We are a member trade association made up of companies that include not only builders, developers, and remodelers, but also trade contractors, materials suppliers, mortgage lenders, Realtors, title companies, interior designers, architects, landscapers, and many more. Together we contribute to the growth, prosperity and quality of life this exceptional community has come to enjoy.

Comcast helps advance our work by providing state-of-the-art broadband access, telephone service and digital television delivery, including local public affairs programming. These services help our member businesses connect to the world and move at the speed of business, while making the communities they build attractive homes for Coloradans.

Both Comcast and NBC are national businesses built through a commitment to local communities and local issues. This transaction will help the companies continue serving local needs in innovative ways.

Sincerely,


Renee Zentz
Executive Vice President
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April 13, 2010 FCC Main Room

Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: MB Docket 10-56

Dear Chairman Genachowski and Honorable Members of the Commission,

I am certain that you will consider many issues during your review of the proposed merger between NBC Universal and Comcast. However, I hope you will keep in mind that these companies have a human face in the cities and towns they serve. Specifically, I am familiar with how Comcast has supported the youth of Springfield, Massachusetts.

The primary mission of the Springfield Boys and Girls Club is to enhance the quality of life for youth, so they can become responsible citizens and leaders in the community. With special concern for the disadvantaged, we provide youth with relevant services involving our members and the greater community that help these youth realize their potential for growth and development.

Comcast has been a vital partner in helping the Springfield Boys & Girls Club achieve our mission by providing funding and services for the area's youth. In 2009, the company partnered with our Club to work on its national Comcast Cares Day public service event. Comcast also brought its FanCaster program to the Springfield Boys & Girls Club, which engages young and eager fans as sportscasters for the company's Comcast SportsNet channel. Comcast Sportsnet and the Boston Celtics even recognized me as a Hero Among Us award recipient last year, providing critical awareness about the Springfield Boys and Girls Club. Perhaps most importantly, Comcast provides complimentary internet service to the Springfield Boys & Girls Club, creating many new and vital educational opportunities for our youth.

The FCC must judge the proposed merger of NBC Universal and Comcast on a national scale, but I hope you will keep in mind that each company is critically important to community life at the local level in the cities and towns they serve. Thank you for taking the time to consider the experience of the Springfield Boys & Girls Club.

Sincerely,



Garrett J. McCarthy, Executive Director
Springfield Boys and Girls Club

The Springfield Boys & Girls Club works to help youth of all backgrounds, with special concern for those from disadvantaged circumstances, acquire the qualities needed to become responsible citizens and leaders. The Club accomplishes this by offering children and teenagers developmental programs to enhance their social, emotional, physical, vocational, education well-being and their self image.



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April 12, 2010

Julius Genachowski
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RE: MB Docket 10-56

Dear Chairman Genachowski and Honorable Members of the Commission:

I am writing to encourage you to approve the Comcast-NBCU merger. Throughout the years, Comcast has demonstrated that it is a valuable corporate citizen that is particularly supportive of children in the community. As the President and CEO of Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters, I can personally speak to the significant contributions Comcast has made.

Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters is headquartered in Hartford, Connecticut and serves 110 cities and towns in Hartford, Tolland, Windham, Middlesex, Litchfield and upper New Haven counties. We work to improve the lives of young people, by creating one-to-one mentoring relationships between at-risk youth and qualified adult volunteers. Our work relies in part on support from the business community – and in that regard, Comcast has been one of our pillars – and an active partner in our programming.

Specifically, Comcast has partnered with Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters to launch "Beyond School Walls," a program where elementary school students are matched with company employees for one-on-one mentoring sessions. Employees from Comcast serve as "Bigs" (adult mentors) to "Littles" (children being mentored) from Lincoln Elementary School in New Britain – playing games, tackling some schoolwork and engaging in meaningful conversations.

I would be remiss not to mention that a local Comcast executive, John Simeone, also provides valuable leadership to our organization as a member of our Board of Directors.

We very much appreciate everything Comcast does for Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters and for Connecticut's youth. If our experience is mirrored nationally, Comcast is a partner for progress in communities throughout the country.

Sincerely,


Laura Green

President and CEO
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